

To learn about upcoming CDSP trials, watch for updates and links to the premium lists on the OTCH Calendar Page (www.otchpa.com/index.php/calendar) and on the CDSP website's event schedule at companiondogsportsprogram.com/eventschedule_ma.htm.



OTCH's COVID-19 guidelines:

**Masks should be worn by those who are not fully vaccinated.
If the judge is wearing a mask, ask her if she prefers that you wear one too.
No lunch will be available to exhibitors. If you don't feel well, STAY HOME!**

Pre-Entries must be received by Oct. 16, 2021, after which time entries will be charged the Day of Show entry fee.

Cancellations must be received prior to Oct. 16, 2021, in order to receive refund less \$5 handling fee.

**PREMIUM LIST
OBEDIENCE TRIALS**

Sanctioned by the Golden Rule for School for Dogs
Companion Dog Sports Program



OTCH Training Building
1 Souder Court
Mechanicsburg, PA 17050-1565
717-766-1838

**TWO Trials Saturday, Oct. 23, 2021
TWO Trials Sunday, Oct. 24, 2021**

All judging indoors, climate controlled

www.otchpa.com

Celebrating 40 years of dog training
1981–2021

Show Chair: Rhonda Robinson
Trial Secretary: Marguerite Plank

Judges:

Saturday: Trial 1: Anne Papalia
Trial 2: Joan Klingler

Sunday: Trial 1: Joan Klingler
Trial 2: Anne Papalia

Representative: Rhonda Robinson (All Trials)

Entry Fees

(Includes \$1.50 Results Filing Fee)

Pre-Entry deadline is Oct. 16, 2021.

Pre-entries received without payment are not complete. An emailed entry will not reserve a place. Checks and money orders will be held at least until closing date in event of a mandated shutdown.

Pre-Entry = 1 to 3 runs: \$20.00 per class

Pre-Entry Weekend Special = 4+ runs: \$18.00 per class
Four entries with the same dog = \$72.00

Pre-Entry Senior (65+) = 1 to 3 runs: \$18.00 per class

Pre-Entry Senior (65+) Weekend Special = 4+ runs: \$16.00 per class
Four entries with the same dog = \$64.00

Junior (age 17 or younger) Entry Fee = Any number: \$10 per class

Day of Show Entry Fee - \$25.00 per class, no multi-run discounts

Day of Show Entries for Trial 1 and Trial 2 will be accepted each day from 7:30 AM – 8:30 AM. Day of Show Entries for Trial 2 only will be accepted any time prior to Trial 2.

Exhibitors planning to enter Day of Show should check with the trial secretary prior to the trial weekend to ensure that the trials have not filled.

Please note that when an email address is provided on the entry form, electronic confirmations will be sent in lieu of paper.

For Move-Ups, see p. 3.

Directions to Site:

I-81 to Exit 57 (PA Route 114); proceed north on Route 114 approximately 1 mile. At the signal light at the intersection of Routes 114 and 944 (Wertzville Road) go straight, take the second right past the signal turn in the lot. The OTCH building is the cream-colored building with a green stripe behind the Rite Aid Pharmacy.

Setting your GPS device to the street address is pretty reliable:
1 Souder Court, Mechanicsburg, PA

Where to stay

(Call to verify dogs are still accepted; ask when reserving or checking in if a discount is offered for OTCH events.)

The Fairfield Inn, 503 Winding Creek Blvd, Mechanicsburg, PA 17050. Brand-new and within 5 minutes of OTCH on Rt 114! They are offering anyone who says they are showing with OTCH \$75/night with their dogs.

Holiday Inn Express (4.4 mi. from trial site) 6325 Carlisle Pike, Mechanicsburg, PA 17050; (717) 790-0924. **Mention OTCH** for a price of \$92.65 (with tax) and only one dog charge; free breakfast included. Directions: from the hotel, turn right onto US11 West, go 1.4 miles, turn right on Route 114. More directions below.

Park Inn (5 miles from trial site) 5401 Carlisle Pike, Mechanicsburg PA 17050 / (717) 697-0321. Directions: from I-81 exit 59, take Route 114 south to US 11. Turn left on to US 11 for 3 miles to the Holiday Inn on your left.

Hampton Inn Carlisle (7 miles from the trial site) 1164 Harrisburg Pike, Carlisle, PA 17013 (717) 240-0200
Directions: From I-81 North - Take Exit 52B and make a right, go about one mile and the hotel is on the right-hand side. From I-81 South - Take Exit 52 and make a right, go about one mile and the hotel is on the right-hand side. From PA Turnpike - Take Exit 226, continue straight, north towards Harrisburg hotel is across from exit ramp on the left. You will be able to see the hotel from the exit ramp, but you may not make a left-hand turn from the traffic light, turn right in the Pilot Travel parking lot - go through lot make left out of lot and go straight through light.

Super 8 Motel Carlisle North (7 mi. from trial site) (717) 249-7000. Directions: From I-81 Exit 52 (US 11). Turn left on US 11 northbound one-half mile.

Entry Limits

If entry limit of **60 entries** each day is reached before pre-entries close, a wait list will be established, based on postmark date.

All entry forms must be complete and fully legible. Incomplete or illegible entry forms do not constitute valid entries and will be returned.

Returned Check Policy

Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry. There will be a **\$30.00** service charge for returned checks. Payment of entry fees and service charges shall be made in cash or money order within 10 days of notice to exhibitor of returned check. Any unpaid fees or shortfalls must be paid prior to the start of the event or entry is canceled without recourse by owner/handler.

Conduct

Exhibitors are expected to conduct themselves in a sportsmanlike manner. Any exhibitor exhibiting unsportsmanlike conduct will be declared ineligible and asked to leave the premises.

Accessibility

Owners with disabilities are encouraged to enter. Any necessary modifications to the exercises must be provided by the handler to the judge and approved by the judge.

Awards in each trial:

High in Trial: Rosette; embroidered towel created and donated by Rhonda Robinson.

High Combined: Rosette.

The High in Trial and High Combined are drawn only from the Versatility, Utility, Open, and Novice classes.

High Starter Novice (from classes A, B, or C): toy donated by Rhonda Robinson.

1st-4th place: Rosette.

A qualifying ribbon will be presented to all qualifiers.

JUDGING SCHEDULE

One ring will be run each day. Trial 1 and Trial 2 classes will be run concurrently. Running lower classes first allows move-ups if desired.
Any judges' entries will run before each trial starts.

Classes will run in this order:

1. Trial 1 Starter Novice A, B, C
Trial 2 Starter Novice A, B, C
2. Trial 1 Novice A, B, C
Trial 2 Novice A, B, C
3. Trial 1 Open A, B, C
Trial 2 Open A, B, C
4. Trial 1 Utility A, then C and B
Trial 2 Utility A, then C and B
5. Trial 1 Versatility A, B, C
Trial 2 Versatility A, B, C

Saturday, Oct. 23, 2021, first class at 9 a.m.

Trial #1	Anne Papalia	All Classes
Trial #2	Joan Klingler	All Classes

Sunday, Oct. 24, 2021, first class starts at 9 a.m.

Trial #1	Joan Klingler	All Classes
Trial #2	Anne Papalia	All Classes

Exhibitors are expected to be ready at ringside when their number is called. Judges will not delay judging for any exhibitor not ready when called.

Move-ups: Move ups may be made into **(1)** a higher level "A" class on the same day that an exhibitor believes the third qualifying score in the lower-level class has been earned or **(2)** the "C" class of the same level. The Exhibitor, Trial Representative, and Trial Host must complete and/or sign the **Class Move Up form**. Information on the Class Move Up form must be legible and complete. If information is illegible and/or incomplete, the Trial Host is not permitted to honor the request and/or process the form.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS:

Competitors, through submission of entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of CDSP rules and regulations (see www.companiondogsportsprogram.com), including but not limited to the following rules regarding entry:

- This trial is open to a dog at least six months of age, including purebred and non-purebred, except bitches in season or dogs with disabilities, injuries, or illnesses which may cause the dog pain or great discomfort, or dogs exhibiting signs of aggression that threaten the safety of other dogs or humans.
- Dogs must be shown by a member of the owner's immediate family: mother, father, spouse, life partner, sibling, child, grandparent, or grandchild.
- All dogs shall be shown in a flat buckle or snap collar, or properly fitted Martingale (limited slip) collar. No choke collar, prong collars, shock collars, harnesses, Martingale leads, or head collars are allowed. (See full rules for health exceptions for harnesses. Veterinarian letter is required.)
- All dogs must be registered with CDSP on the day of competition. See www.companiondogsportsprogram.com to complete the registration form and submit it to the CDSP office.
- Safety shall always be of foremost consideration in actions and conduct by handlers at all times. Handlers, through entry at this event, accept full responsibility for themselves and the actions of their dogs.
- Any dog removed from the premises for aggressive or threatening behavior is not eligible for a refund and not eligible for any placements and/or awards.
- The organizing committee may refuse any entry for any reason.
- Refunds for females in season will be given upon receipt of a statement by the exhibitor's veterinarian, less a \$5.00 processing fee.
- No refunds will be given after close of pre-entries. A \$5.00 handling fee will be deducted from the refund of entries that are withdrawn prior to the closing date (other than those for females in season).
- No entry fees will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, Act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, strike, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizers.
- All competitors through entry at this event grant to Companion Dog Sports Program, their representatives, agents, and assigns, all rights and permissions to use or appropriate the exhibitor's and the dog's name, biography, likeness, photograph, voice, performing persona, or other indicia or identity for broadcast, telecast, cablecast, transmission, or distribution in any format or media now known or hereafter to become known and waive any and all rights relative thereto.

SINGLE DOG REGISTRATION FORM

FEE: \$25.00 per Dog

A dog must be registered with Companion Dog Sports Program in order to compete and earn titles in any CDSP sanctioned event. A dog's registration number must be supplied to each trial host for each event entered.

Please complete a separate registration for each dog being registered. The registration number will be emailed to the email address provided on the form. If no email address is provided, the number will be mailed to the street address provided on the form. Please allow at least two weeks for receipt via email or 4-6 weeks for receipt via regular mail.

NOTE: Please be sure to check your email spam folder when expecting the registration number via email.

OWNER INFORMATION		
Owner's Name: <input type="text"/>		
Mailing Address: <input type="text"/>		
City: <input type="text"/>	State: <input type="text"/>	Zip: <input type="text"/>
Phone: <input type="text"/>		
Email: <input type="text"/>		
DOG INFORMATION		
Dog's Registered Name: (Name to appear on title certificates) <input type="text"/>		
Breed: <input type="text"/>	Date of Birth: <input type="text"/>	

Enclose check or money order (U.S funds only) payable to **Golden Rule** and mail with completed registration to:

Golden Rule School for Dogs
Attn: Sandi Ver Sprill
23 Morris Sussex Pike
Andover, NJ 07821

Or register online at:

http://www.companiondogsportsprogram.com/dog_registration.htm

CDSP Class Descriptions

For a complete description of the CDSP rules, regulations, performance guidelines, explanation of exercises, etc. go to www.companiondogsportsprogram.com.

Which Class Do I Enter? A, B, and C Classes Explained

- Starter Novice A:** Shall be for dogs who have not earned any other obedience title in any registry and does not have a qualifying score (Q) in Novice in any obedience registry.
- Starter Novice B:** Shall be for dogs who have earned a Beginner Novice (BN) obedience title or equivalent in any registry and does not have a qualifying score (Q) in Novice in any obedience registry.
- Starter Novice C:** Shall be for dogs who have earned a CDSP Starter Novice title (SN-C) in either the A or B class and does not have a qualifying score (Q) in Novice in any obedience registry.
- Novice A:** Shall be for dogs who have not earned any other obedience title in any registry.
- Novice B:** Shall be for dogs who have earned an obedience title in any registry, including Starter Novice (SN-C).
- Novice C:** Shall be for dogs who have earned a CDSP Novice title (CD-C) in either the A or B class.
- Open A:** Shall be for dogs who have earned the CDSP Novice obedience title (CD-C).
- Open B:** Shall be for dogs who have earned the CDSP Novice obedience title (CD-C) and/or any other Open obedience titles in any registry.
- Open C:** Shall be for dogs who have earned a CDSP Open title (CDX-C) in either the A or B class.
- Utility A:** Shall be for dogs who have earned the CDSP Open obedience title (CDX-C).
- Utility B:** Shall be for dogs who have earned the CDSP Utility obedience title (UD-C) and who wish to earn a CDSP Utility Dog Excellent title (UDX-C) and a CDSP Obedience Trial Championship title (OTCH-C).
- Utility C:** Shall be for dogs who have earned the CDSP Utility obedience title (UD-C) and who wish to earn the CDSP Utility Championship obedience title (UD-CCH).
- Versatility A:** Shall be for dogs who have earned the CDSP Novice title (CD-C).
- Versatility B:** Shall be for dogs who have earned the CDSP Novice title (CD-C) and any other Open or Utility qualifying leg or obedience title in any registry.
- Versatility C:** Shall be for dogs who have earned a CDSP Versatility title (VT-C) in either the A or B class.

All competitors through entry at this event grant to Companion Dog Sports Program, their representatives, agents, and assigns, hereby release CDSP, the hosting club, their representatives, agents, and assigns from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of personality, or any similar right.

- Competitors shall have the right to videotape portions of this event for their personal use only. No portion of this event may be videotaped for commercial or other purposes.
- Dogs must remain under control and on leash at all times while on trial site grounds. Please pick up after your dog and yourself

Jump Heights

Dogs are not required to be measured the day of the trial or prior to judging. However, judges have the option to measure any dog prior to his/her performance if the dog appears to be entered in a group lower than might be indicated by his/her registered shoulder height. Jump heights may also be modified based on physical challenges that a particular dog may face.

Height at withers	High/Bar Jumps (inches)
5.5" and under	4
8.0" and under	6
11.0" and under	8
13.5" and under	10
16.0" and under	12
19.0" and under	14
21.5" and under	16
24.0" and under	18
27.0" and under	20
Over 27"	22

Veteran dogs (seven years and older) may jump 2" lower than regular jump height indicated on above chart. An Exercise Modification Form is not required. Check "Vet" on your entry form and enter the veteran jump height.

Note: If modifying your dog's jump height, select the modified height on your entry and check the box to indicate modified height. You must also submit an Exercise Modification Form to be signed by the trial judge and attached to your score sheet. An Exercise Modification Form must be completed for each trial. The Exercise Modification Form can be completed online then printed from the following link: http://www.companiondogsportsprogram.com/index_htm_files/CDSPExerciseModFormV1_2.pdf

CDSP OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

Obedience Training Class of Harrisburg

Oct. 23 & 24, 2021

Registered Name		Reg. #
Call Name	Date of Birth	Shoulder Height (see chart)
Breed		Jump Height _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Reg. <input type="checkbox"/> Vet. <input type="checkbox"/> Mod.*
Owner's Name		Phone
Owner's Address		Email (print clearly!)
City	State	ZIP
Handler (owner/family member)		If you may earn a championship, which one(s)?

*Include a Modified Jump Height form or provide one per class at check-in.

ENTRY INFORMATION

	Sat Tr 1	Sat Tr 2	Sun Tr 1	Sun Tr 2
Startr A				
Startr B				
Startr C				
Nov A				
Nov B				
Nov C				
Open A				
Open B				
Open C				
Util A				
Util B				
Util C				
Vers A				
Vers B				
Vers C				

Return completed entry form and signed agreement along with your entry fees payable to **OTCH** to:

**Marguerite Plank, 256 Ridge Ave.,
Gettysburg, PA 17325; email: mplank@pa.net
Land line: 717-334-5392 (cell: 717-515-7320)**

Entry Fees (Includes \$1.50 Results Filing Fee)
Pre-entry pricing closes Oct. 16, 2021.

Regular Pre-Entry - \$20.00 per class; Weekend Special - \$18.00 per class
(4 entries with the same dog = \$72.00)

Senior (+65) Pre-Entry - \$18.00 per class; Weekend Special - \$16.00 per class
(4 entries with the same dog = \$64.00)

Junior (age 17 or younger) Entry Fee - \$10/class

Day of Show Entry Fee - \$25.00 per class
(No discounts)

Amount enclosed: \$ _____

This entry is not valid unless the Agreement is signed and dated. In order to be valid, entry must be received at the address provided with correct fees by the closing date. A waiting list will be established once entry limit is reached. Entries will be accepted by overnight mail only if signature requirement is waived.

General Agreement

I (we) agree that OTCH (the hosting club) has the right to refuse this entry for any cause which the organizing committee alone shall deem to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, of the holding of the event, and of the opportunity to have the dog participate and/or to be judged, I (we) agree to hold the organizing committee, the hosting club, OTCH, including their members, officers, directors, agents and employees, sponsors of the event, and owners of the premises upon which the event is held and their employees, harmless from any claim for loss or injury that may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or upon the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim. I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss of this dog by disappearance, theft, death or otherwise, and from any claim for damage or injury to the dog, whether such loss, disappearance, appearance, theft, damage, or injury be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the parties aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person, or any other cause or causes. I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death resulting at any time there from, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, howsoever such injuries, death, or damage to property may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may have been alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents or any other persons.

I (we) further acknowledge that I (we) have read, understand, and will abide by the Official Rules and Regulations of Companion Dog Sports Program and the provisions for entry as set forth in the Trial Schedule of which this entry form is a part. I (we) acknowledge and represent that the information supplied by me (us) herein is correct to the best of my (our) knowledge; if any portion of this information is found to be invalid or insufficient to establish the validity of my (our) entry, such finding shall render my (our) entry invalid in its entirety, for which there shall be no refund of fees paid. Further, I (we) represent that I am (we are) the owner(s) of the dog listed hereon, or that I (we) am (are) a family member of the dog's owner as stated and allowed in the CDSP rules, and that I (we) shall hold the hosting club and OTCH, including their officers, directors, employees and agents and their sponsors, harmless from any liability or claim made by dog's owner.

Further, I (we) hereby grant to, Golden Rule School for Dogs CDSP Program their representatives, agents, and assigns, all rights and permissions to use or appropriate my and the dog's name, biography, likeness, photograph, voice, performing persona, or other indicia or identity for broadcast, telecast, cablecast, transmission, or distribution in any format or media now known or hereafter to become known. I (we) hereby release Golden Rule School for Dogs, OTCH, their representatives, agents, and assigns from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of personality, or any similar right.

Exhibitor

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Parent or Legal Guardian signature for Junior or minor entries:

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____